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Honeywell's Docket No. 30-5010 - 4962

Practitioner's Docket No. 7220012001-3222000

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re application of: Nancy Iwamoto

Application No.: 09/543628

Group No.: 1712

Filed: April 5, 2000

Examiner: Michael J. Feely

For: Novel Polymer/Substrate and Polymer/Polymer Interfaces and Methods of Modeling and Forming Same

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
(37 C.F.R. 1.114)

1. Applicant hereby requests continued examination, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. Section 1.114, for the above identified application.

TIME REQUEST IS BEING MADE

2. This request is being submitted:

i. Prior to abandonment of the application

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ENCLOSURES

3. Enclosed herewith is:

An amendment

FEE FOR REQUEST (37 C.F.R. Section 1.17(e)).

4. This application is on behalf of:

Other than a small entity

Continued Prosecution Request Fee: \$750

FEE FOR CLAIMS

5. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

	(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Addit. Fee
Total	15	Minus	20	= 0	x \$18 =	\$0
Indep.	2	Minus	3	= 0	x \$84 =	\$0
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim					+ \$280 =	\$0
					Total Addit. Fee	\$0

- * If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "O" in Col. 3,
 - ** If the "Highest No. Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, enter "20".
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No additional fee for claims is required.

EXTENSION OF TIME

6. The proceedings herein are for a patent application, and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Section 1.136(a) apply.

Applicant believes that a three month extension of time is required.

TOTAL FEE(S) DUE

7. The total fee(s) due is/are:

Continued Prosecution Fee (Section 1.17(e))	\$750.00
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Fee(s) for additional claims (Section 1.16(b)-(d))	\$0.00
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Three Month Extension of Time	\$950.00
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Total Fee(s) Due: \$1,700.00

PAYMENT OF FEE(S) DUE

8. Please pay the fee(s) for this continued examination application as follows:

Please charge any required fee of \$1,700.00 and any additional fee(s) for Section 1.17(e), Section 1.16(b)-(d) and/or Section 1.17(a)(1)-(4) to Account 502518.

INVENTORSHIP

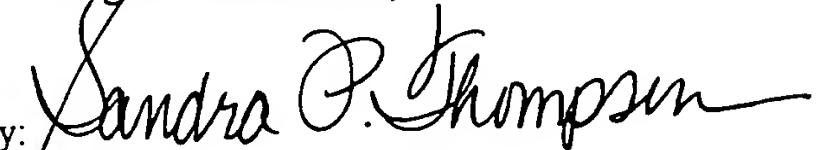
9. This application as amended names as inventors the same inventors as previously designated for the claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

**MAIL STOP RCE
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Dear Sir:

This paper responds to the Final Office Action dated January 5, 2004. Please enter the following:

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FIGURES AMENDMENTS: None

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